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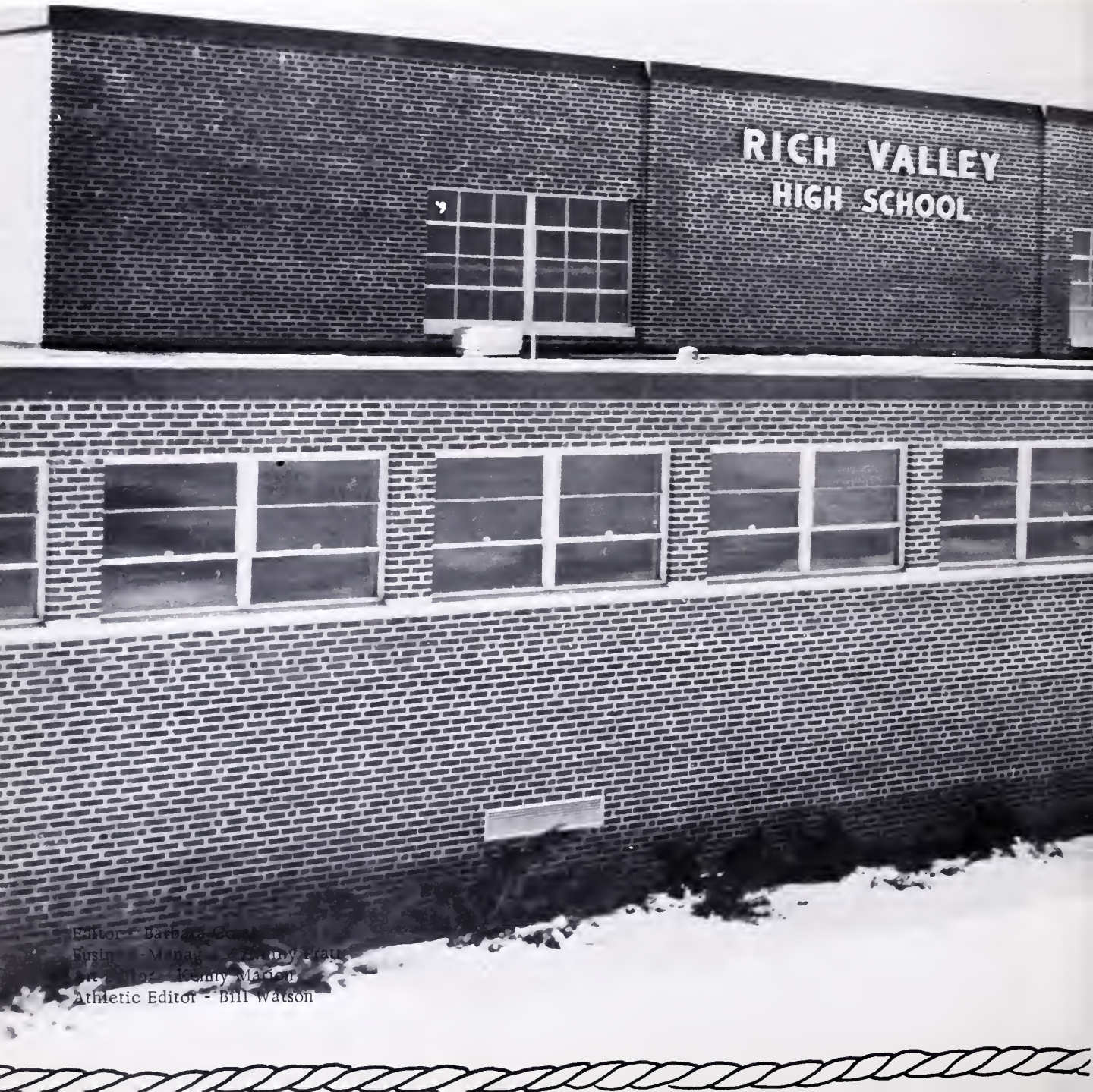

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FOREWORD

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The Lasso is designed to perpetuate the many happy memories of our high school year. We have attempted to show a typical year at our Rich Valley High School. The theme is woven around the title of our book showing the lasso as it has brought together the many things and persons who have influenced our lives.

Since we are the first class to graduate under the five years system of high school, we realize how fortunate we are! These years have been the [illegible] things which have been done for us. Sometimes we seem grateful because we accept things as they come to us, but the Senior Class wishes to take this opportunity to express our appreciation to our parents, our teachers, and administrative staff for their interest and help in seeing us through high school.

This year we are looking forward to the Washington Trip, the senior activities, the plays, athletic games, and commencement. These are the events which make up our life.

We hope that you will enjoy our record book for it will hold many hallowed memories for the Senior Class of 1963.

Barbara Correll, Editor

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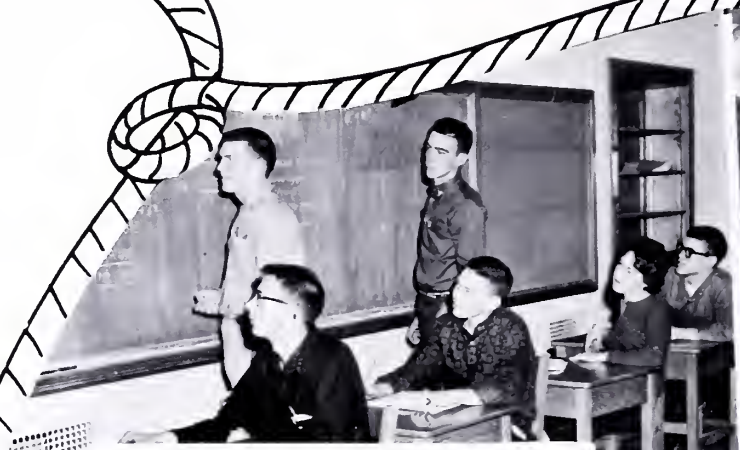
Capturing in



In solid Geometry we TRY to understand Mr. Osborne.

Mr. Buchanan talks to group of seniors of plans for the future.

Our Sponsor, Mrs. Lewis is attempting to get class president into graduation garbs.

Football captains, Billy Clear and Kyle Oakes crown Merilyn Smith-Homecoming Queen-1962-

Our Life...

The Lasso

A scene from the Dramatics class working on "Copperhead."

Mac Buchanan carries the ball over to win against Patrick Henry.

A group of Seniors chat at lockers at the beginning of another school day.

Richard Roberts gets his senior ring from the class sponsor.

At Rich Valley

We were having a party to celebrate our football victory.

The Homecoming Queen and her court.

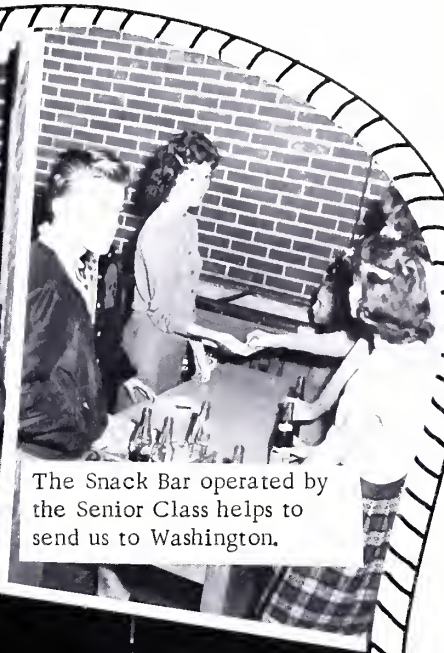
The annual staff work on plans for the yearbook.

Mrs. Lewis is explaining how we might get to Washington for the long anticipated trip!

Coach Osborne really goes to his knees at this moment!

Senior girls learn the arts of home making!

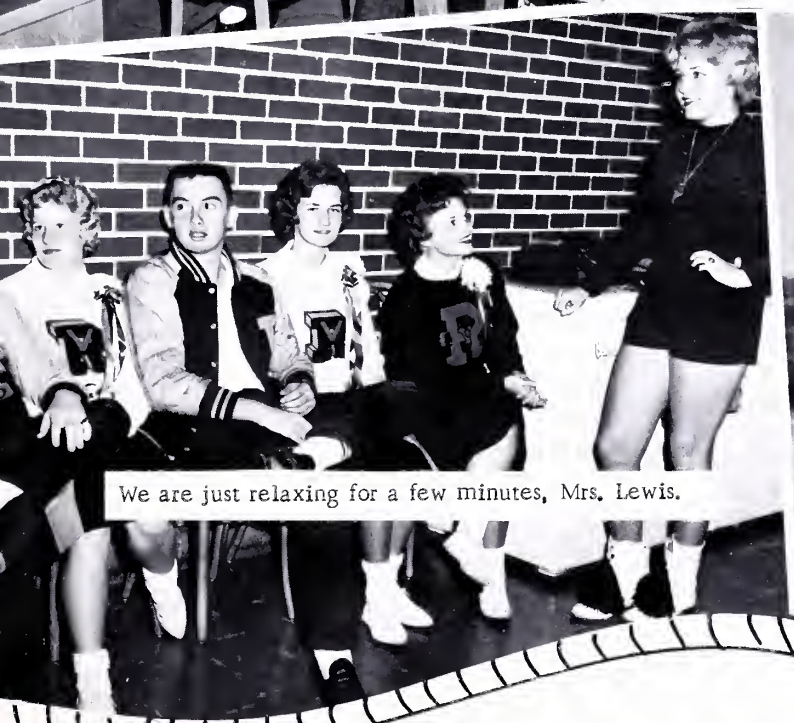
Four of the teachers talk things over!



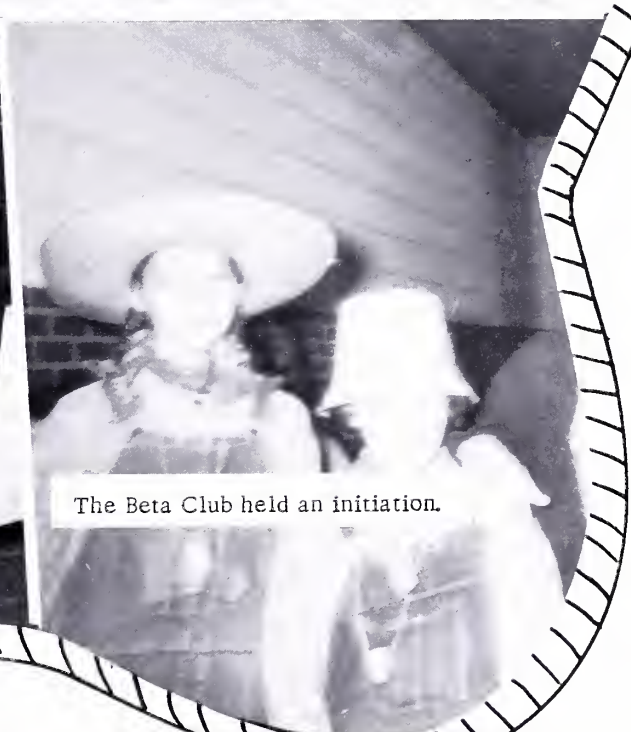
The Snack Bar operated by the Senior Class helps to send us to Washington.

Remember, we studied some, too!

Onward to victory!



We are just relaxing for a few minutes, Mrs. Lewis.



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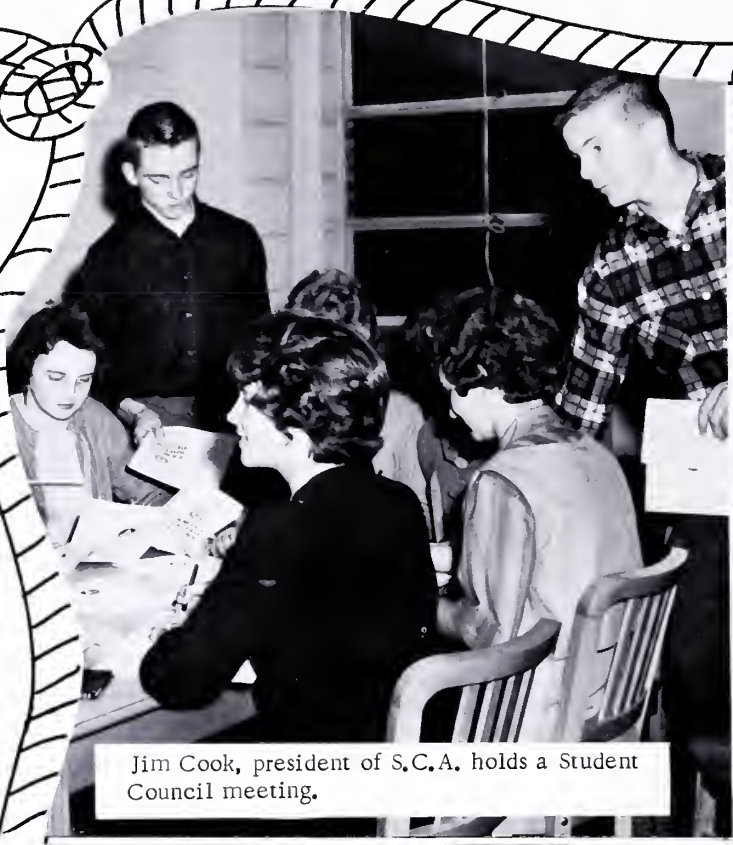
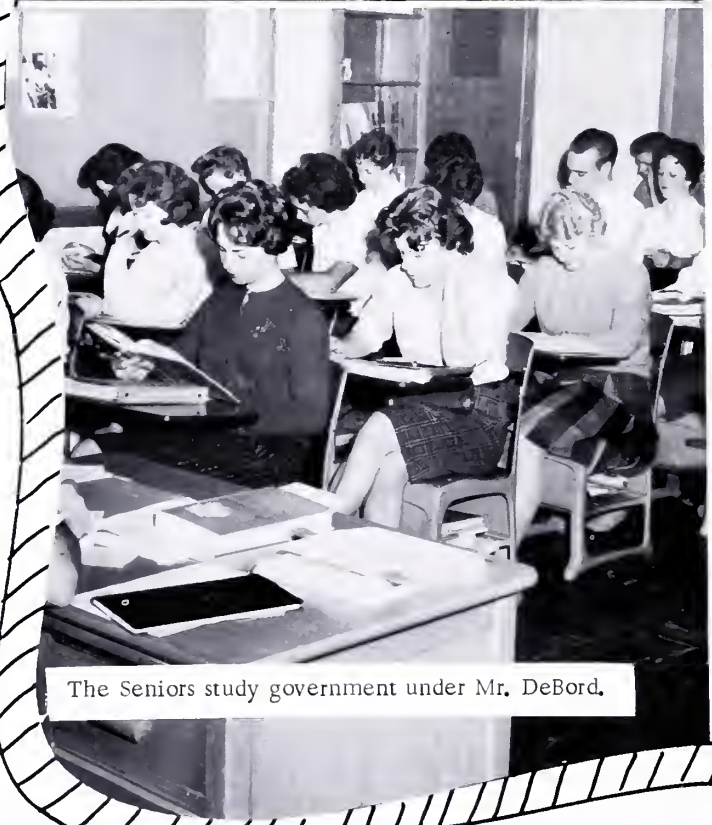


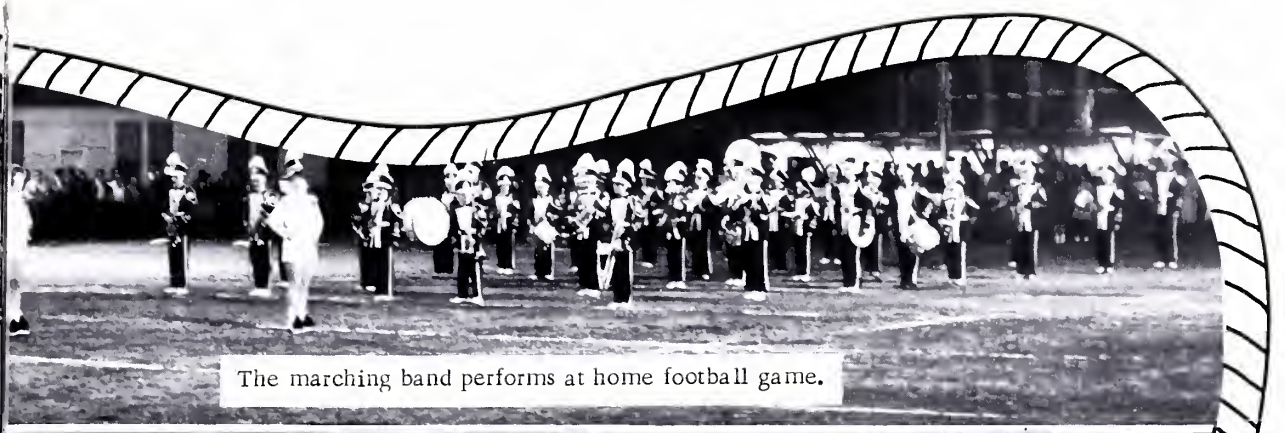
Jim Cook, president of S.C.A. holds a Student Council meeting.

After school the students rest over a coke in cafeteria.



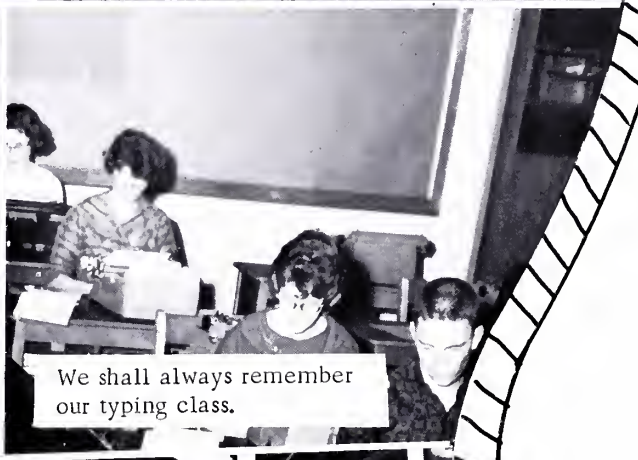
The Seniors study government under Mr. DeBord.

Mr. Buchanan talks to the queen and her court.



The marching band performs at home football game.

The majorettes keep the school spirit soaring.



We shall always remember our typing class.

Kyle Oakes gets ready to shoot in game against Marion.

Richard Lambert makes five goals in Smyth Co. Tournament.

— Because your giving of your life to educating and helping the youth

— Because your untiring efforts and progressive services have furthered our school

— Because your belief in us and your leadership as principal have encouraged us to higher goals

— Because of your unending loyalty to every student in the Rich Valley High School

We express our appreciation by dedicating our book to you

RAYMOND M. BUCHANAN

ADMINISTRATION

Mr. Eugene DeBord
Assistant Principal

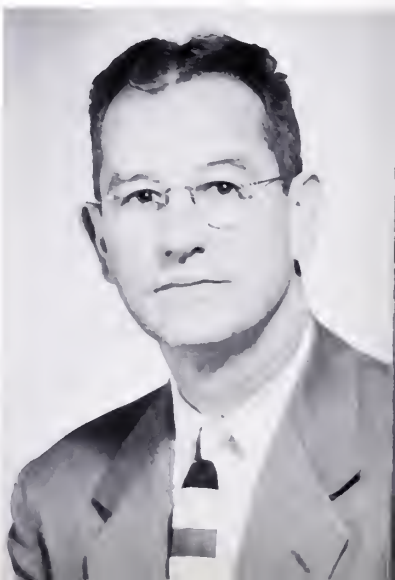
Miss Clara Johnson
Secretary

OUR PRINCIPAL

Mr. Raymond Buchanan

Mr. William P. Buchanan
Rich Valley School Board Member

Mr. Leonard Mauck
Superintendent of Smyth County Schools



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Radford College-BS, English, Spanish.

Miss Margaret Correll
Radford College-BS, Home Economics.

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Concord College-BS, Band

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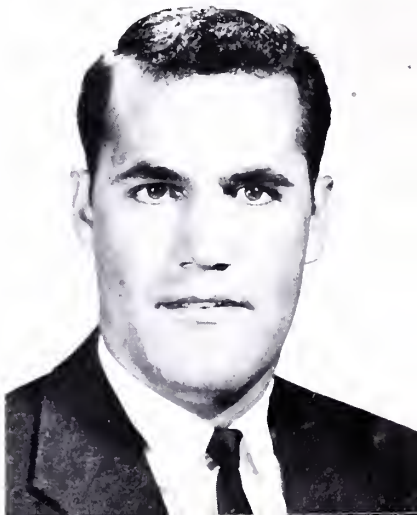

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Tennessee Tech, Lincoln Memorial University, Science

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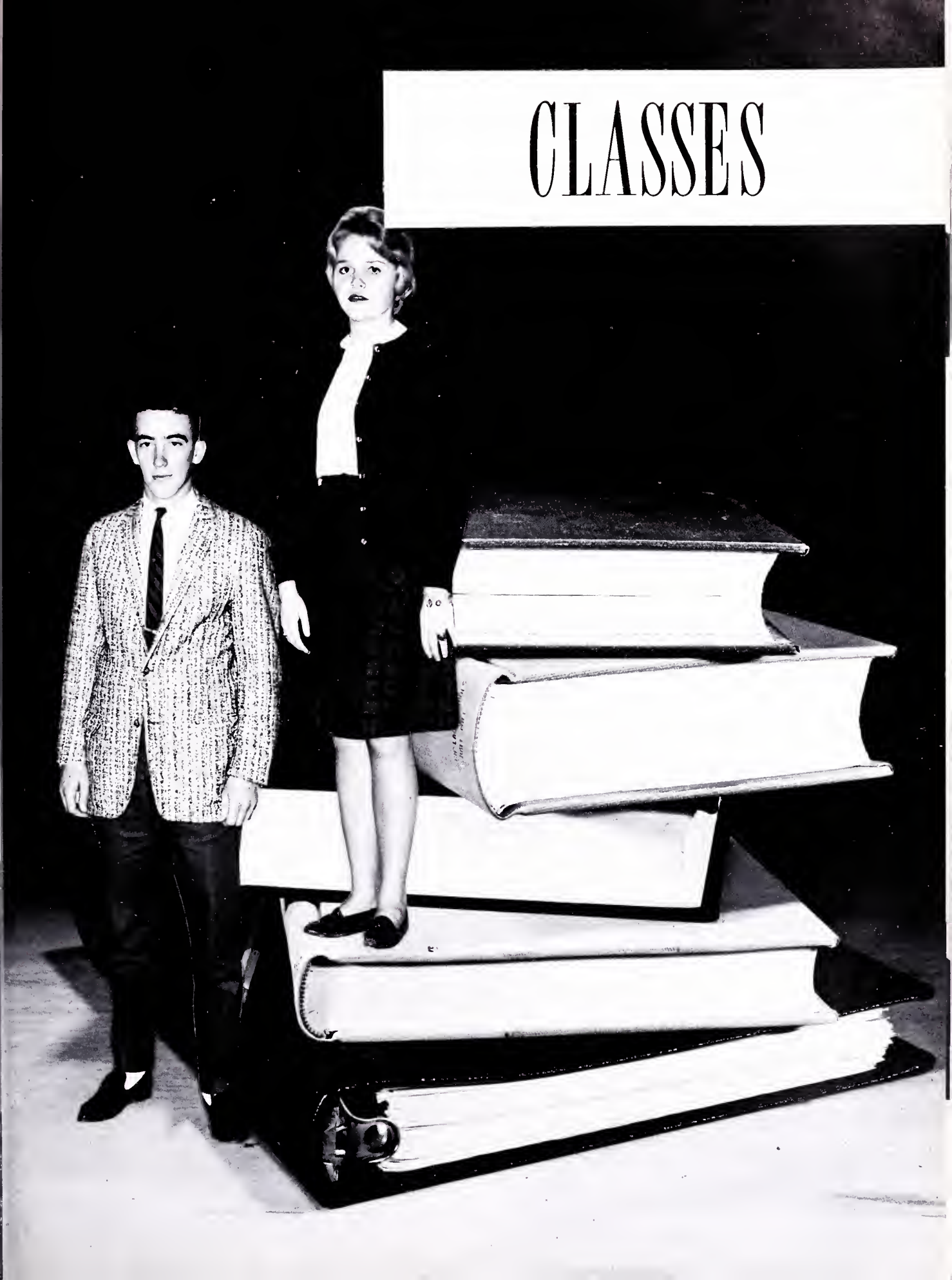

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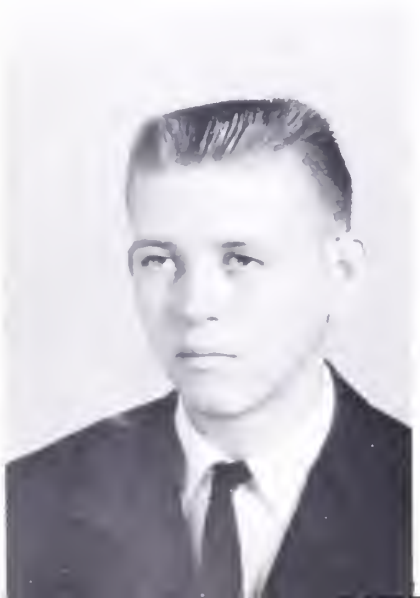

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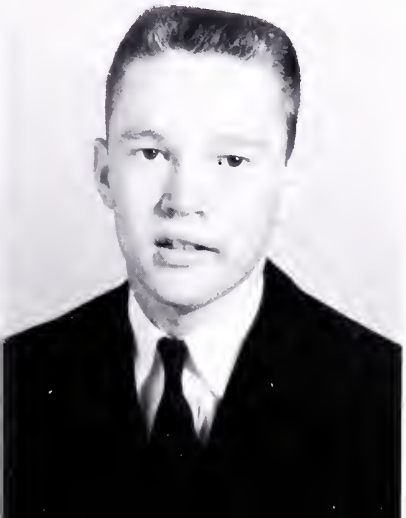

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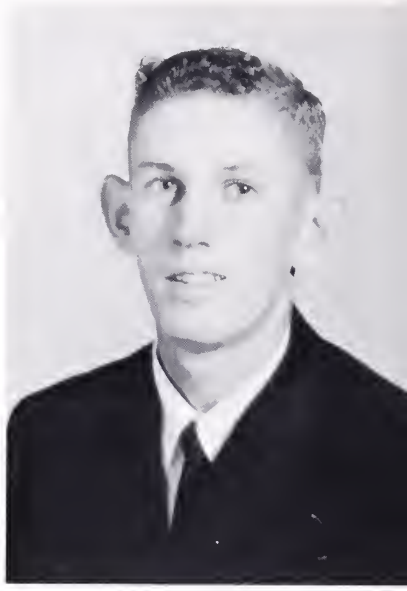

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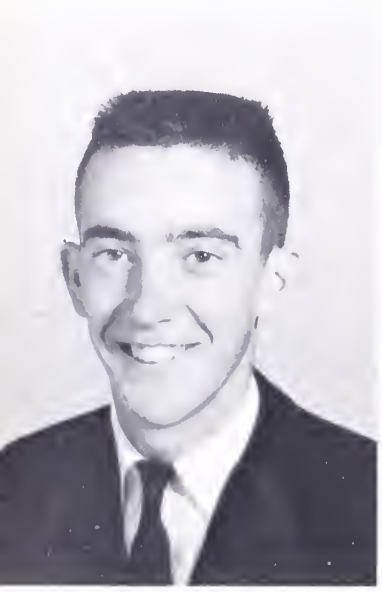

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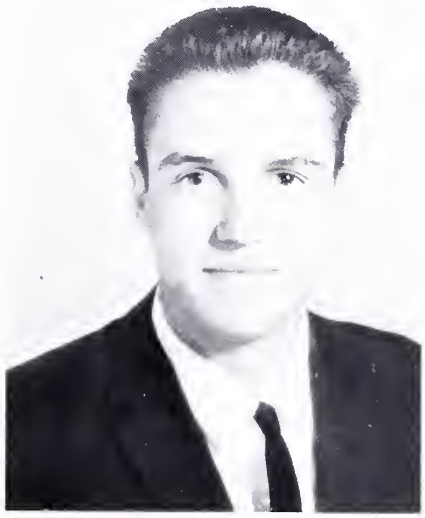

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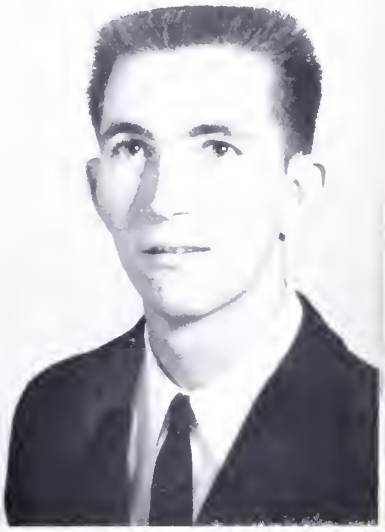

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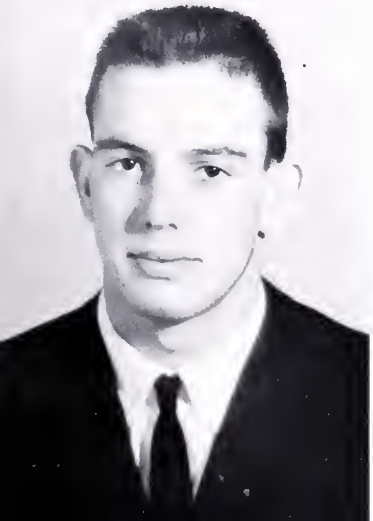

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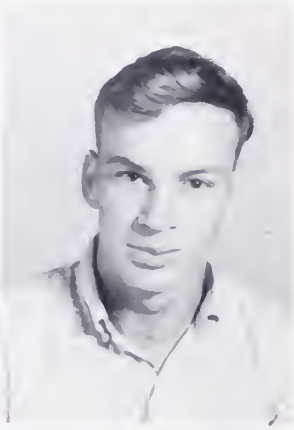

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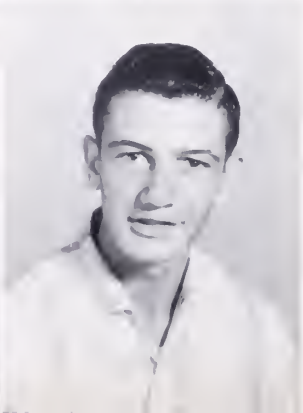

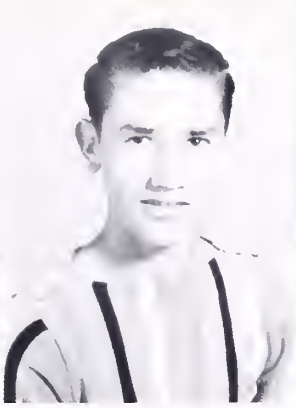

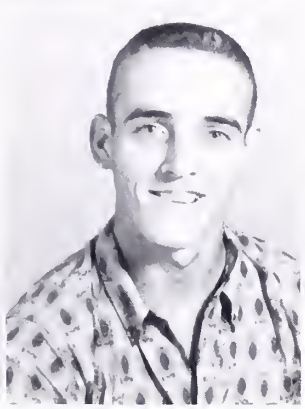

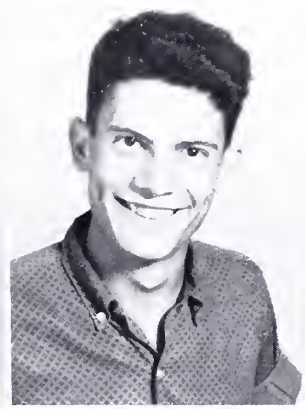

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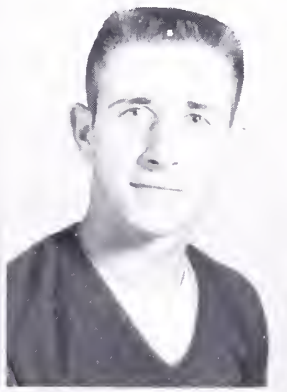
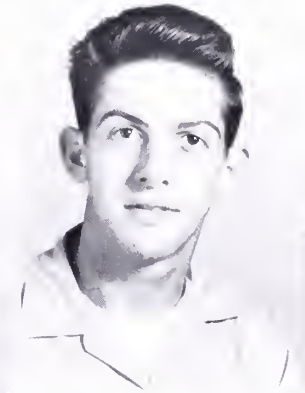
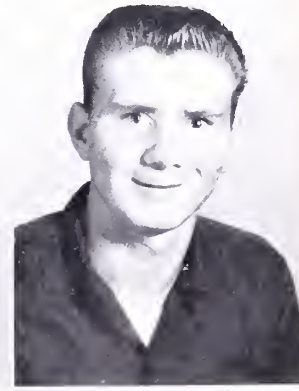

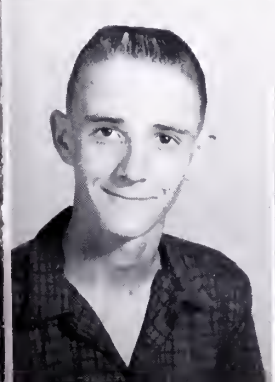

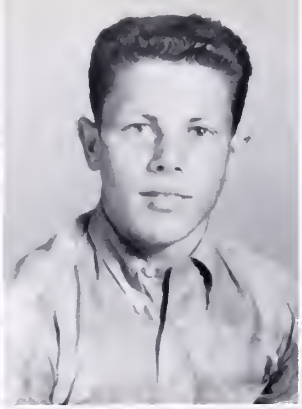
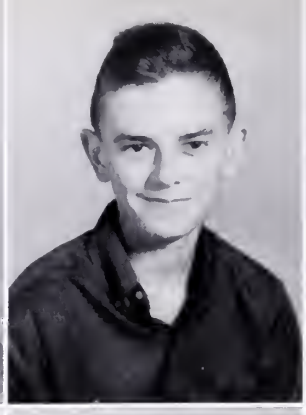

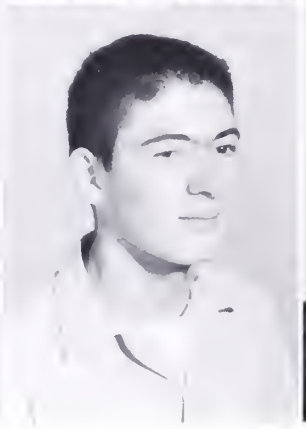

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Wilbur Holmes

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Andrew Hoover

Harold Holmes
Dottie Horne

James Holmes
Ann Hubble

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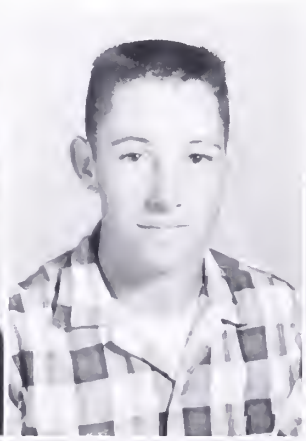

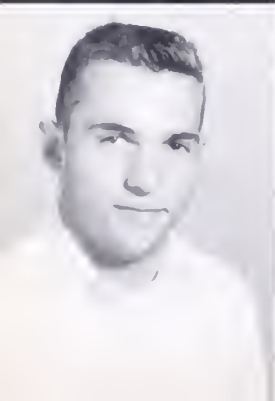
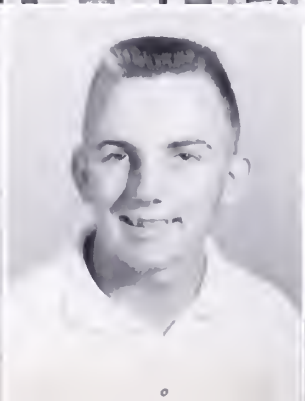

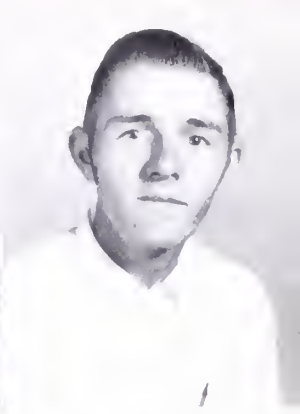

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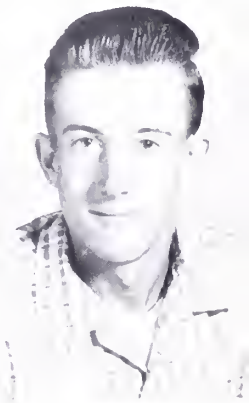

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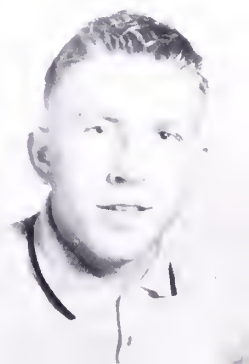

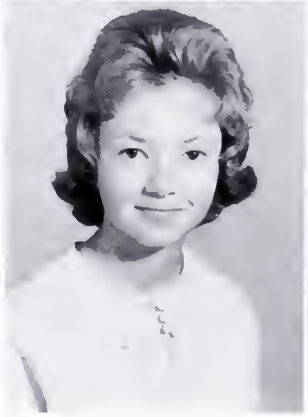

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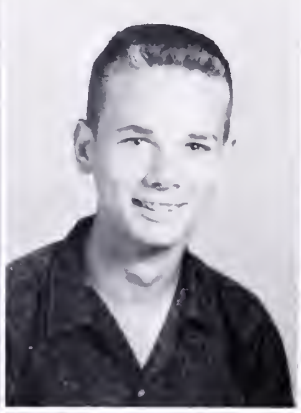

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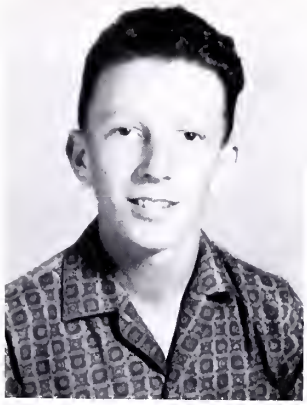

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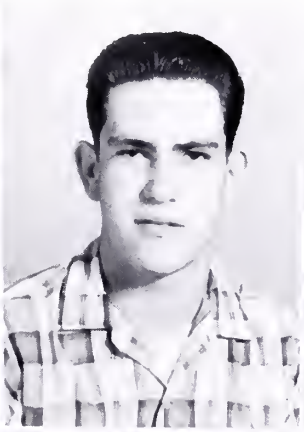

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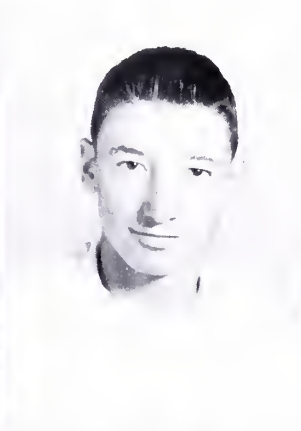

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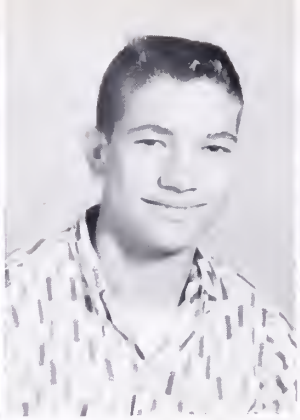
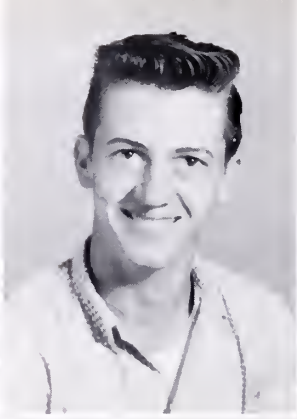

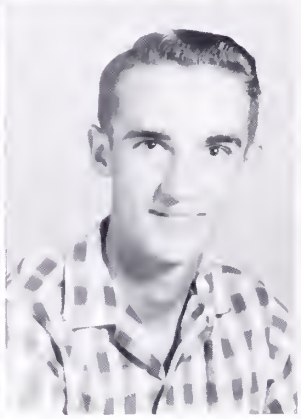
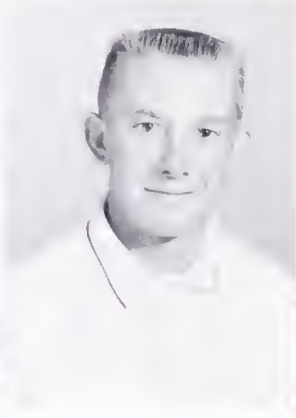

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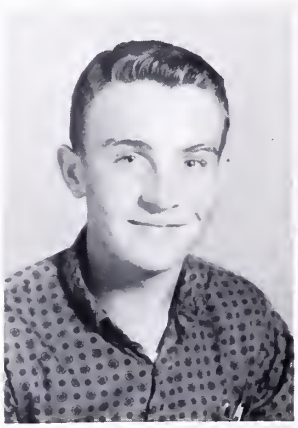

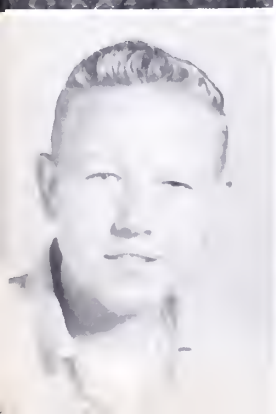

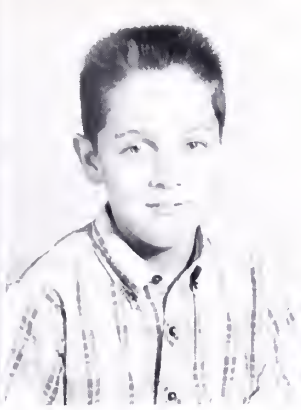

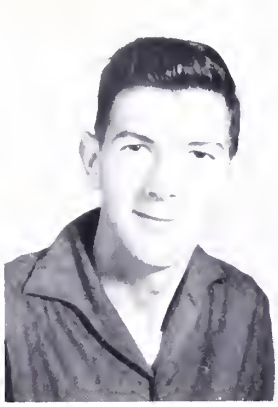

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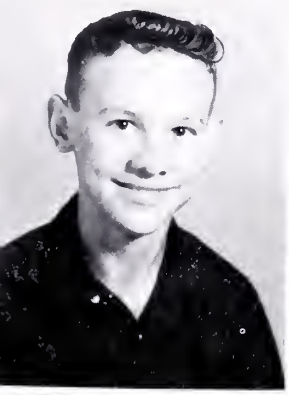

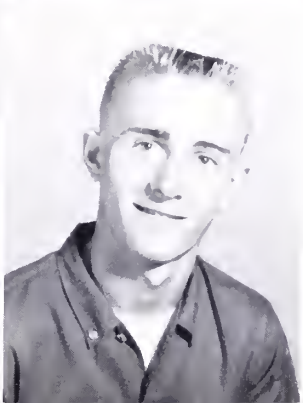

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JoAnn Cullop
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LEFT-RIGHT: C.D. Taylor - President, Carlos Ferley - Vice President, Joe Howard McGinnis - Secretary, Kathy Statzer - Treasurer.

GRADE NINE

David Anderson
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Anna Mae Barrett
Lee Bise

Sharon Blackwell
Audrey Blevins
Brenda Blevins
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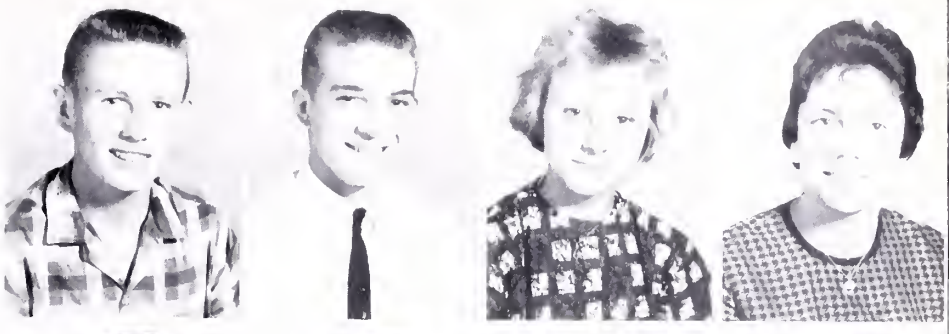

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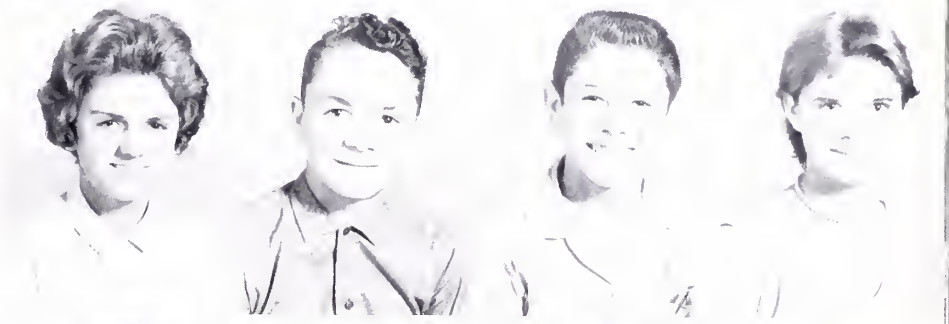

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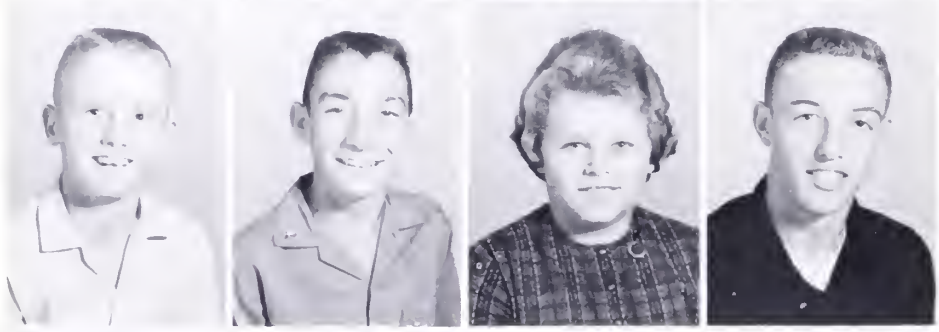

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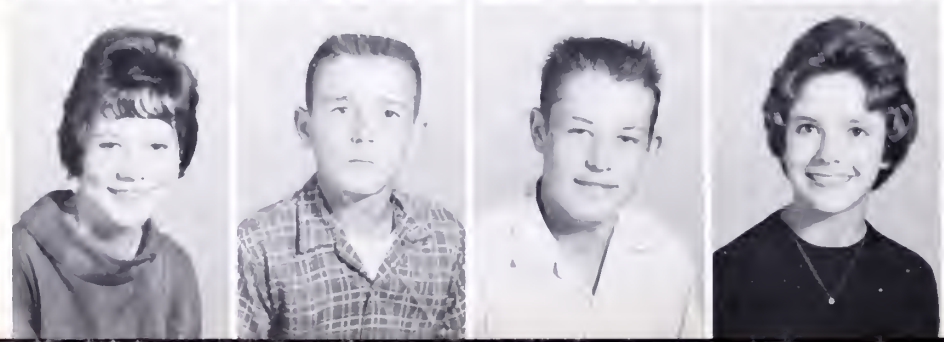

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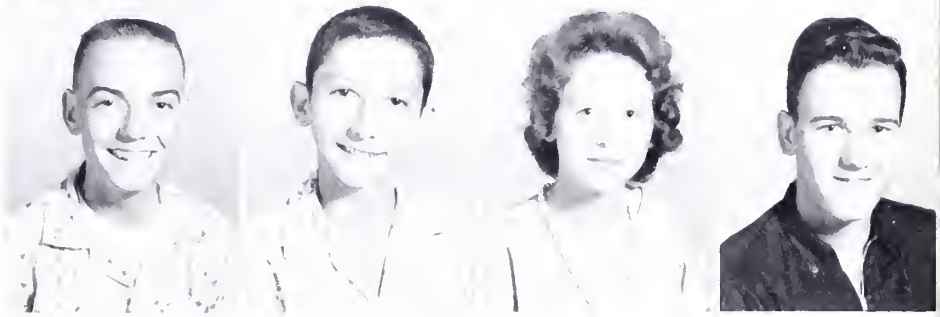

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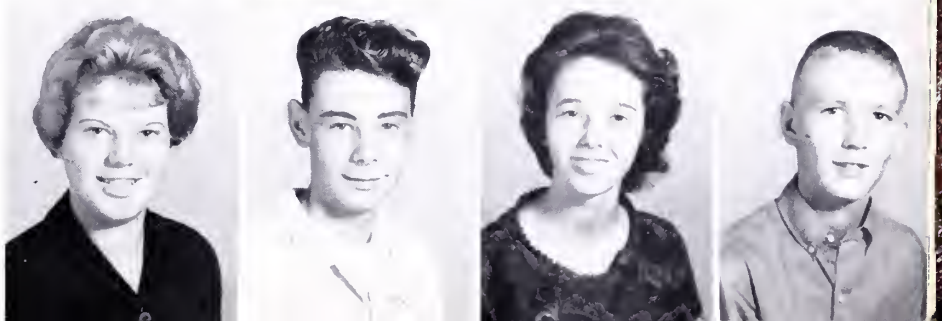

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GRADE EIGHT

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Ann Brown
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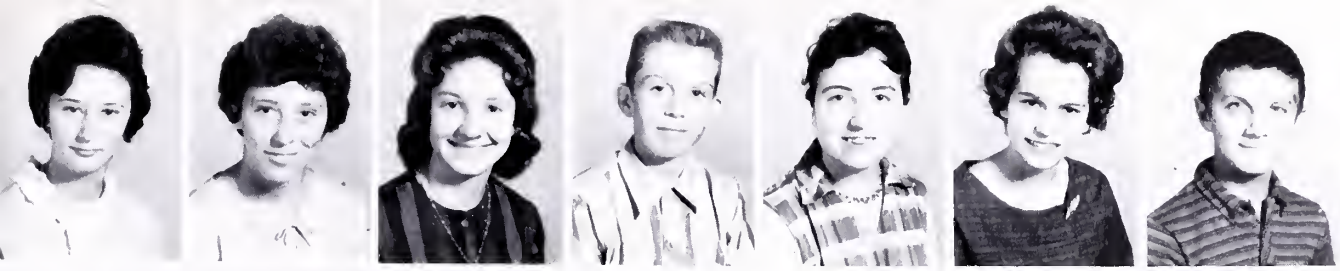

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Helen Davidson
Rita Frye
Mariville Greer

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Donnie Fullen
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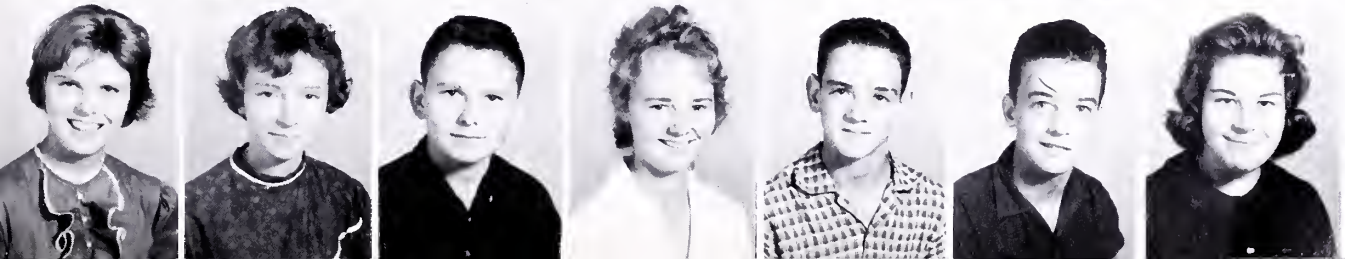

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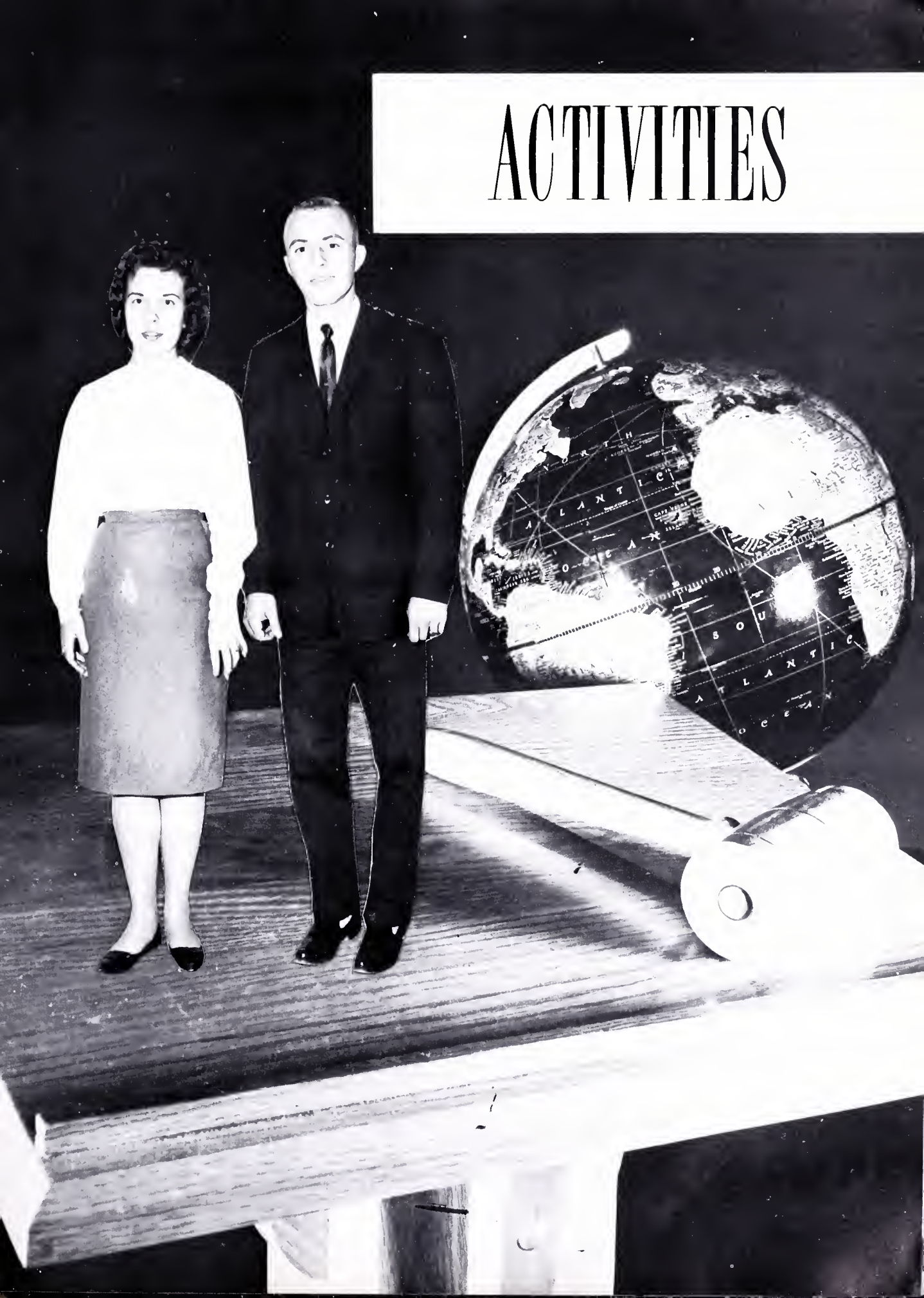

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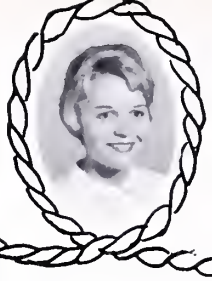

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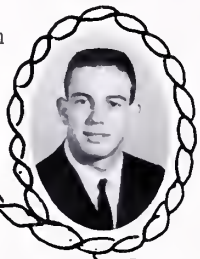

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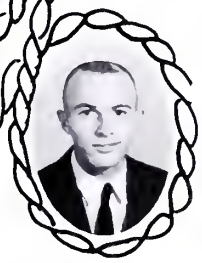

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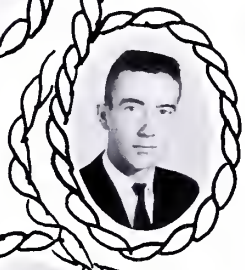

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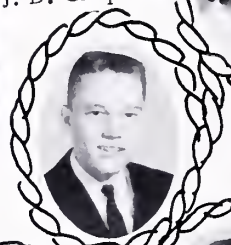

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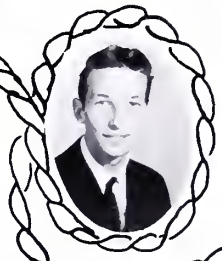

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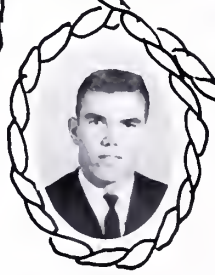

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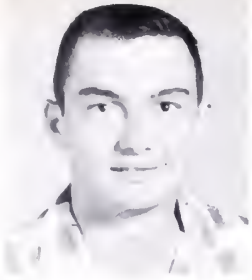
THE ROUND-UP

SITTING - Loretta Robinson, Crystal Call, Wanda Ratcliffe. FIRST ROW, left to right - Charles McCready, Gloria Smith, Teresa Marion, Linda Osborne, Sponsor - Mrs. Campbell, Lynda Necessary, Brenda Griffitts, Patricia Harden, Janice Carter; SECOND ROW - Dayton Snow, David Campbell, Gail Maiden, Allen Cooper, Harold Holmes, Bobby Hanshew, Ronnie Brickey, Roger Seymour, Billy Watson, Curtis Dinsmore.



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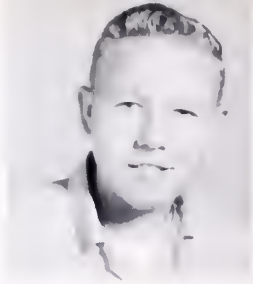

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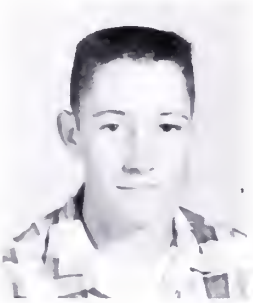

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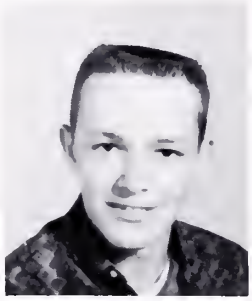

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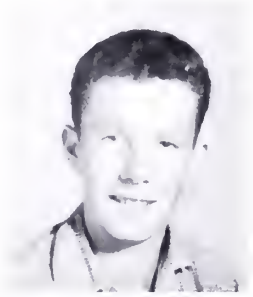

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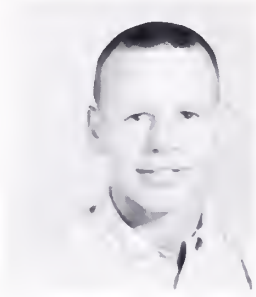

Charles Hilt - Sentinel

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FIRST ROW LEFT TO RIGHT - Miss Margaret Correll, Sponsor, JoAnn Cullop, Carolyn Lamie, Carol Brown, Linda Osborne, Sara Barrett, Annie Mae Barrett. SECOND ROW - Eva Marshall, Patsy Stevenson, Brenda Snow, Mary Frye, Patricia Cardwell, Sandra Haga, Frances Harden, Ella Mae Booth. THIRD ROW - Barbara Correll, Toby Frye, Beverly Combs, Brenda Griffitts, Georgia Turley, Barbara Frye, Carol Frye, Dottie Horne. FOURTH ROW - Patricia Surber, Nelda Poe, Joyce Olinger, Dot Bise, Angie Clear, Kay Atwell, Tillie Tilson, Evelyn Taylor.

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Tillie Tilson - Vice President

Angie Clear - Reporter

Carol Brown - President

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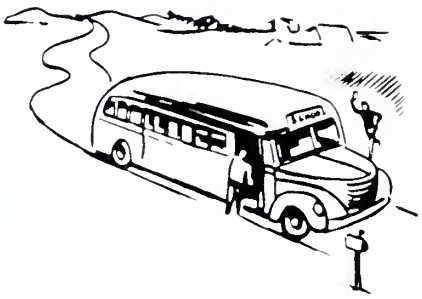
Kay Atwell - Historian

Miss Margaret Correll - Sponsor

Dot Bise - Treasurer

Toby Frye - Songleader

STANDING - Evelyn Taylor-President, FIRST ROW - left to right - Mary Olinger, Alan Cooper, Teresa Marion, Drema Snow, SECOND ROW - Connie Clear, Mary Ann Booth, Beverly Clear, Dayton Snow. THIRD ROW - Ella Mae Booth, Patsy McCready, C. D. Taylor, Wilbur Holmes, Andrew Hoover. FOURTH ROW - Jimmy Pratt, David Crabtree, Mr. James Fishel and Mr. George Farris-Sponsors.



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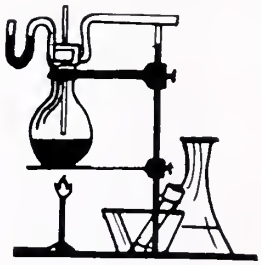


PATROL CLUB

FIRST ROW left to right - Audrey Blevins, Frances Rhea, Rosemary Kegley, Joyce Clear, Carla Debord, Linda Pratt, Judy Pratt.
SECOND ROW - JoAnn Cullop, Brenda Blevins, Sandra Clear, Carolyn Lamie, Joyce Olinger, Faye Blevins.
THIRD ROW - Shirley Turley, Nioka Frye, Polly Maloyed, Mary Fullen, Bonnie Surber, Patsy Harris.
FOURTH ROW - Mr. M.M. Lewis, Sponsor, Joe Doane, Neal Turley, Lannie Catron, David Frye, Ann Garrett, Merilyn Smith.

LIBRARY CLUB

Members at Work

President-Calvin Cassell

SEATED - Crystal Call, Betty Maloyed, Calvin Cassell, Billy Clear, Woodie Cassell, Teresa Marion, FIRST ROW - Ronnie Orr, Sara Barrett, Carolyn Lamie, Margaret Evans, Ella Mae Booth, Annie Mae Barrett, Janie Tibbs, Dottie Horn, Mary Olinger, Shirley Strouth, Gary Wyatt, J. B. Kinder, J. D. Chapman, SECOND ROW - Mrs. Tilson-Sponsor; Jim Cook, Roger Crouse, David Spencer, Douglas Doane, Kyle Oakes, Ronald Stevenson, Andrew Hoover, Mac Buchanan, Ralph Allison, Curtis Dinsmore, Wayne Peery.

FIRST ROW - left to right - Beverly Combs, Crystal Call, Teresa Marion, Betty Maloyed, Gloria Smith, Kathleen Turley, Mrs. Dorothy Sauls-Sponsor. SECOND ROW - Loretta Robinson, Patricia Harden, Lynda Necessary, Janice Carter, Leota Frye, JoAnne Atwell, Polly Sue Olinger. THIRD ROW - Toby Frye, Ralph Allison, David Crabtree, Jimmy Pratt, Calvin Cassell, Woody Cassell, Bobby Hanshew, Darlene Hoover.

BETA CLUB

LEFT TO RIGHT - Darlene Hoover-Treasurer; Woodie Cassell-Reporter; Jim Pratt-President; Betty Maloyed-Vice President; Toby Frye-Secretary.

BETA CLUB

The National Beta Club is a leadership-service organization made up of high school students with a high scholastic average during their high school years. This club strives to promote ideals of honest service and leadership among high school students of America, to reward meritorious achievement, and to encourage and assist students to continue their education after high school.

OFFICERS

Barbara Correll . . . . . President
Angie Clear . . . . . Vice-President
Evelyn Taylor . . . . . Secretary
Beverly Combs . . . . . Historian
Claudine Doane . . . . . Chaplain
Leota Frye . . . . . Treasurer

TRI-HI-Y

SEATED from left to right - Toby Frye, Claudine Doane, Beverly Clear, Crystal Call, Leota Frye, Linda Osborne, Linda Necessary, Janice Carter, Betty Maloyed, Sponsor-Mrs. Osborne, STANDING - Evelyn Taylor, Darlene Hoover, Beverly Combs, Barbara Correll, Gloria Smith, Georgia Turley, Angie Clear, Teresa Marion, Connie Clear, Polly Olinger, Judy Carter, JoAnn Cullop, Sandra Haga, Ella Mae Booth, Wanda Ratcliff, Brenda Griffitts.

"STEER"

Arthur Vernon Flynn
Director

Percussion

Saxophones

Trumpets

Bells and Flutes

CLARINETS - Beverly Combs, Darlene Hoover, Janice Carter, Beverly Clear, Connie Clear, Kathy Statzer, Barbara Frye, Kathy McCallister, Carol DeBord, and Barbara Frye.

BASS CLARINET - Toby Frye.

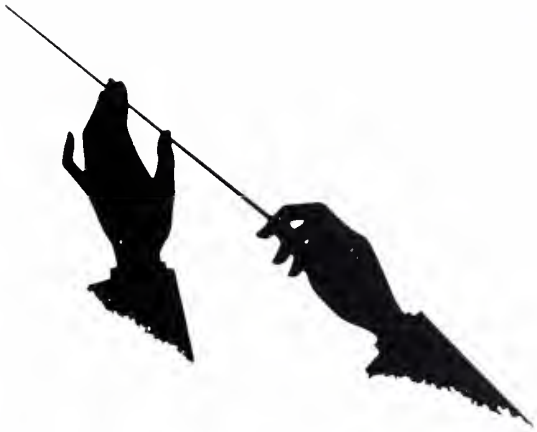
FLUTES - Lynda Necessary, Mary Lynn Necessary, and Linda Osborne.

SAXOPHONES - Judy Pratt, Blake Taylor, Jane Orr, Gail Neel, and Carla DeBord.

HORNS - Polly Sue Olinger, Rita Mitchell, and Sara Buchanan.

BAND

Majorettes



Trombones

Clarinets

French Horns and Tuba.

BELLS - Judy Clear, Barbara Clear, and Rosemary Coe.

TROMBONES - Barbara Correll, Joe Kegley, C. D. Taylor, Donald Combs, and Linda Pratt.

TRUMPETS - Bobby Hanshew, Harry Brown, Richard Roberts, David Neal, Bobby DeBord, Raymond DeBord, and Donnie Coe.

BASS HORNS - Billy Jo Lamie and Paul Pruitt.

PERCUSSION - Curtis McCallister, Dayton Harris, Cecil Call, Sammy Lamie, and James Ratcliffe.

OFFICERS-President-Jim Cook
Vice-President-Polly Olinger
Secretary-Treasurer-Irvin Griffiths

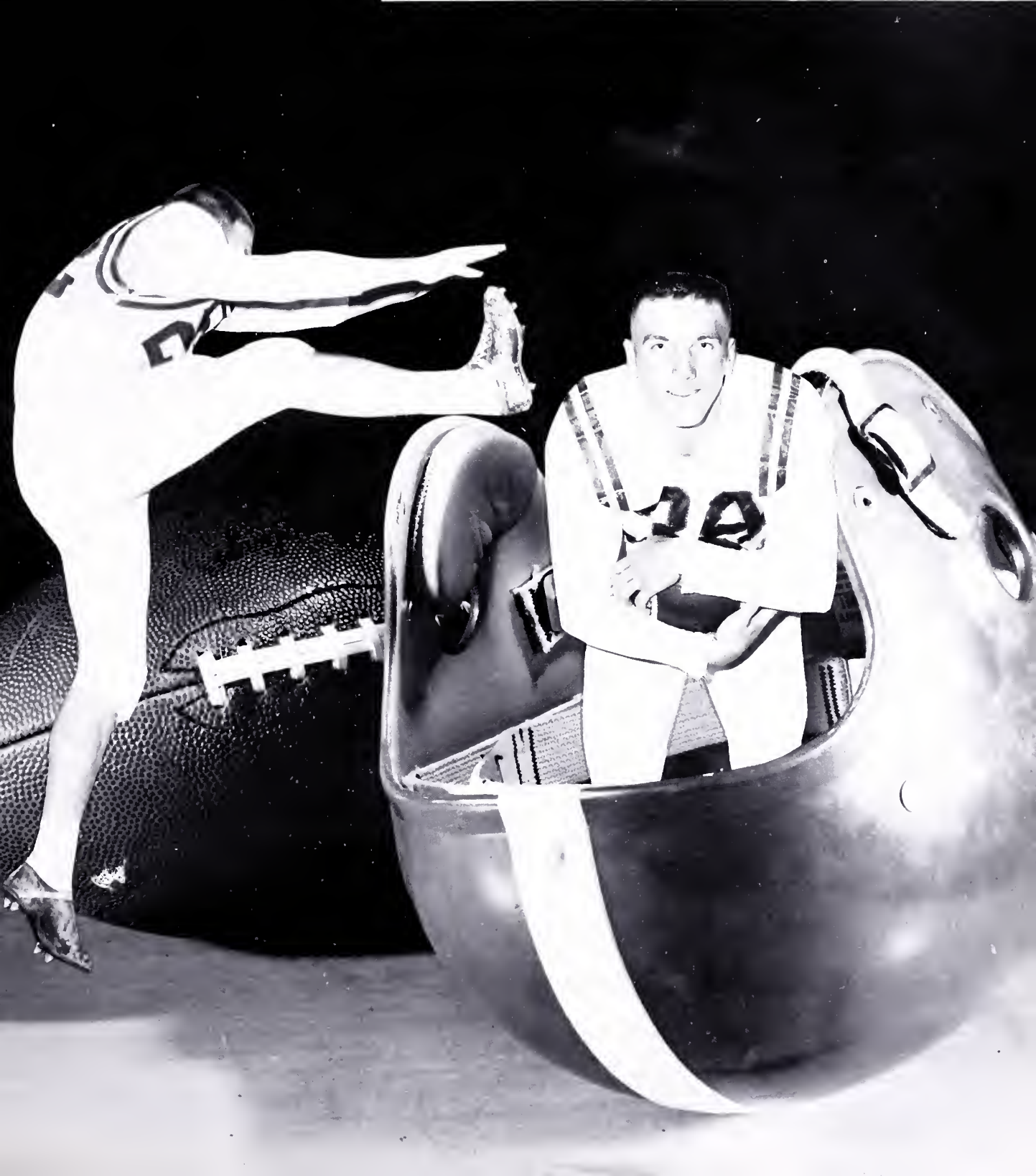
S.C.A.

STANDING - Janet Holmes, Barbara Harris, C. D. Taylor, David Crabtree, Gale Maiden, Crystal Call, Judy Pratt, and Rosemary Coe. SEATED - Irvin Griffiths, Polly Olinger and Jim Cook.

The Student Co-operative Association gives the students of Rich Valley a chance to voice their own government. The S.C.A. was first formed this school year of 1962-63, and the student body elected Jim Cook as their first President. This organization performs the duty of planning and carrying out various extra-curricular activites of the school.

Jim Cook addressing the student body.

ATHLETICS



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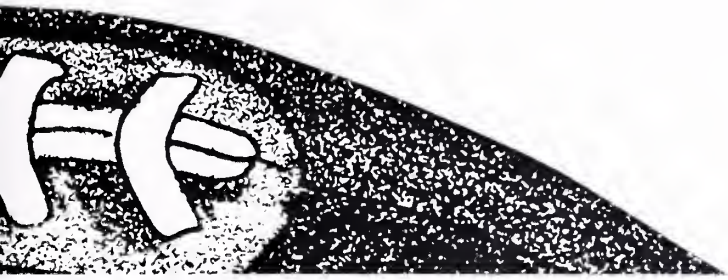

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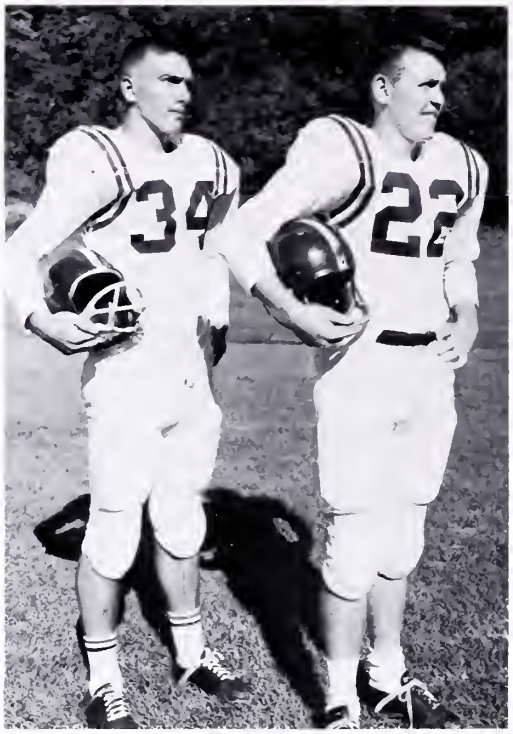
Co-Captain: Kyle Oakes
Co-Captain: Billy Clear



Assistant Coach: Johnny Morgan
Assistant Coach: Jay Lockhart
Head Coach: Kelly Osborne

R. V.	SCORE	OPP.	SCORE
Sept. 1	49	Honaker	0
Sept. 7	27	Haysi	0
Sept. 15	41	Sparta	0
Sept. 21	41	Independence	0
Sept. 29	6	Patrick Henry	0
Oct. 12	6	Chilhowie	0
Oct. 19	19	Rye Cove	0
Oct. 27	7	Damascus	32
Nov. 3	12	St. Paul	12
Nov. 17	34	Rural Retreat	0

J. V. Football Team

RICH VALLEY

Teresa Marion, Co-Captain

Angie Clear, Co-Captain

Merilyn Smith

Margaret Evans

Brenda Blevins

Crystal Call

Leota Frye

CHEERLEADERS

Faye Whitehead

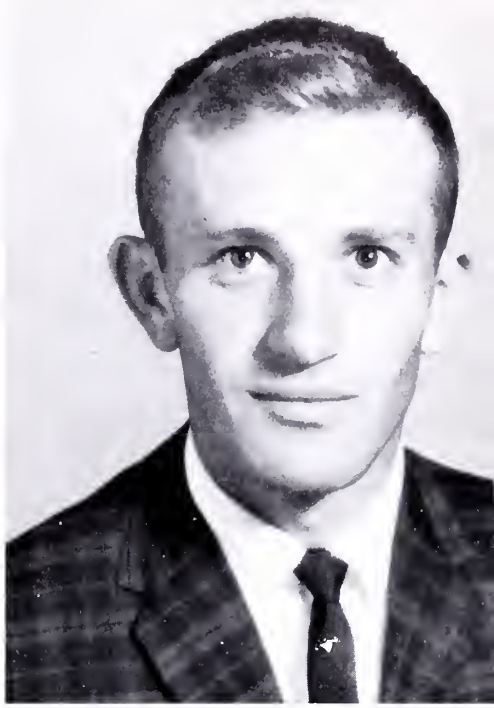
Barbara Correll

Shirley Strouth

GIRLS'

FIRST ROW Left to Right: Carla DeBord, Judy Pratt, Shirley Turley, Sarah Barrett, Patsy Stevenson, Connie Clear, Beverly Clear, and Donna Olinger.
SECOND ROW Left to Right: Teresa Marion, Patsy

R. V.	SCORE	APP.	SCORE
Nov. 6	22	George Wythe	25
Nov. 8	28	Chilhowie	32
Nov. 13	22	Sugar Grove	48
Nov. 20	15	Saltville	66
Nov. 27	26	George Wythe	27
Dec. 4	39	Chilhowie	25
Dec. 6	12	Sugar Grove	50
Dec. 8	27	Saltville	44



Mr. Johnny Morgan, Head Coach

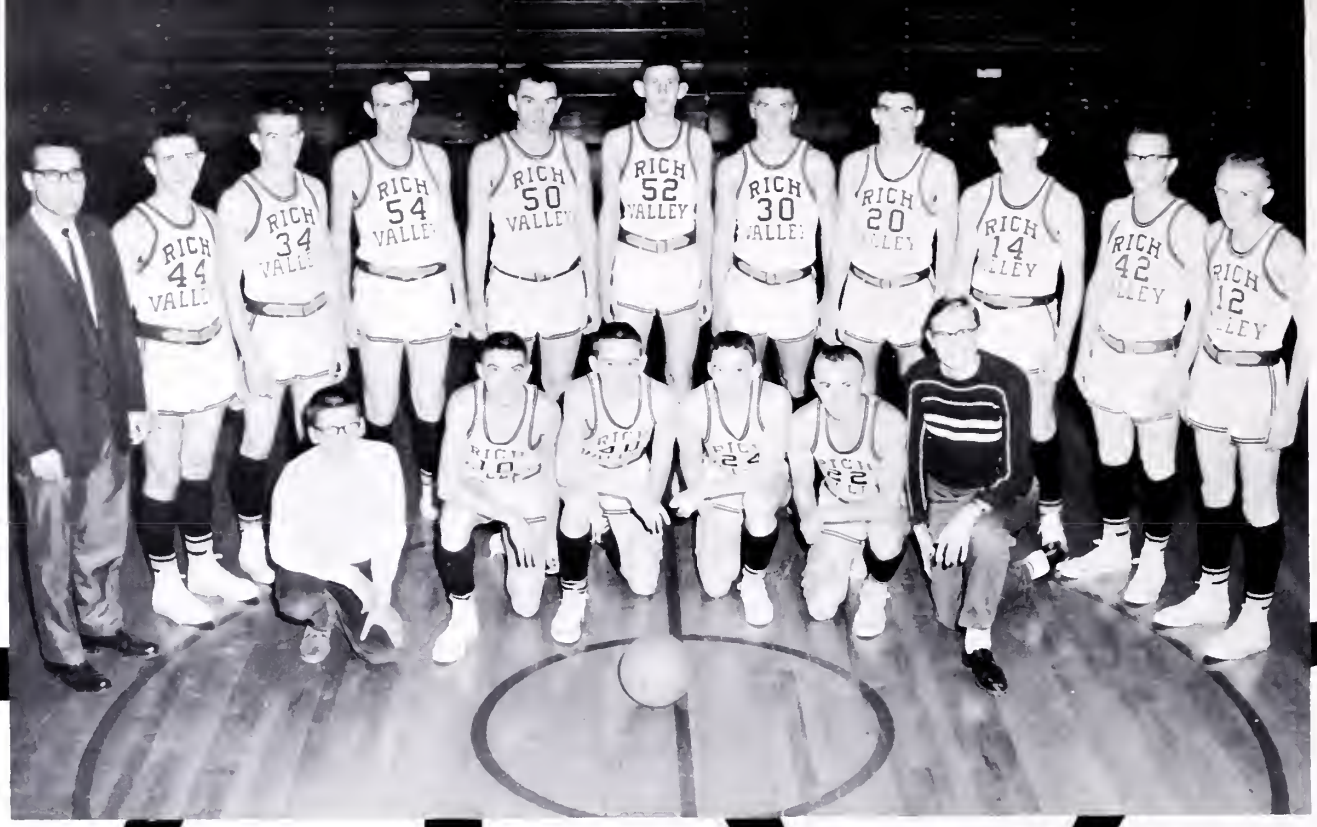
Harden, Claudine Doane, Faye Whitehead, Wanda Ratcliffe, Barbara Correll, Crystal Call, Shirley Strouth, Toby Frye, Polly Olinger, and Mr. Johnny Morgan, Coach.

BASKETBALL

Claudine Doane, Co-Captain

Wanda Ratcliffe

Toby Frye, Co-Captain



Quad-Captains
KNEELING;
Calvin Cassell,
Jim Cook
STANDING;
Richard Lambert,
Jimmy Pratt

R. V.		SCORE	OPP.	SCORE
Dec.	4	46	Rural Retreat	60
Dec.	7	36	Lebanon	65
Dec.	11	27	Chilhowie	61
Dec.	14	49	Honaker	48
Dec.	18	47	Sugar Grove	64
Jan.	4	28	Chilhowie	64
Jan.	8	26	Patrick Henry	64
Jan.	11	59	Damascus	65
Jan.	14	51	Fort Chiswell	59
Jan.	18	45	Patrick Henry	81
Jan.	22	63	Sugar Grove	70
Feb.	5	47	Fort Chiswell	63
Feb.	7	48	Rural Retreat	49
Feb.	9	59	Honaker	44
Feb.	13	53	Lebanon	58
Feb.		83	Damascus	78
Feb.		51	Saltville	78

VARSITY BASKETBALL

FIRST ROW Left to Right: Sonny Webb, Manager, Harry Brown, Gale Maiden, J.D. Chapman, Jim Cook, and Alan Cooper, Manager.

SECOND ROW Left to Right: Coach Jay Lockhart, Edward Cregar, Calvin Cassell, Richard Lambert, Mac Buchanan, Larry Cox, Kyle Oakes, Jimmy Pratt, Billy Clear, Woody Cassell, and J. B. Kinder.

Head Coach:
Jay Lockhart
Assistant Coach:
Kelly Osborne

BOYS' BASKETBALL

J. V. Basketball

BASEBALL

FIRST ROW Left to Right: Alan Cooper, J.B. Kinder, Donald Wyrick, Ronnie Orr, Billy Watson, Jimmy Holmes, and Dennis Moore.

SECOND ROW Left to Right: Mr. Kelly Osborne-Coach, Steve Martin, Tommy Maloyed, Andrew Holmes, Woody Cassell, Andrew Hoover, Freddie Holiday, Randall Brickey, and Billy Joe Lamie.

FIRST ROW Left to Right: David Campbell, Curtis McAllister, H. C. Carter, Harry Brown, and Ray Holmes.
SECOND ROW Left to Right: Bobby Booth, Freddie Holiday, Gale Maiden, Jackie Bise, and J. B. Kinder.
THIRD ROW Left to Right: Charles Taylor, Roger Crouse, Ernie Catron, Billy Clear, Calvin Cassell, Irvin Griffiths, and Ronnie Stevenson.

TRACK

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and IRVING MILLS

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The Homecoming Queen's Court

MISS JUDY PRATT

MISS RICH VALLEY

1962

SWEEPSTAKE

MOST DIGNIFIED
Woody Cassell
Wanda Ratcliffe

MOST TALENTED
Kenny Marion
Toby Frye

MOST ATHLETIC
Billy Clear
Claudine Doane

MOST LIKELY TO SUCCEED
J. B. Kinder
Darlene Hoover

WITTIEST
Richard Roberts
Brenda Worley

BEST SCHOOL SPIRIT
Billy Watson
Angie Clear

WINNERS

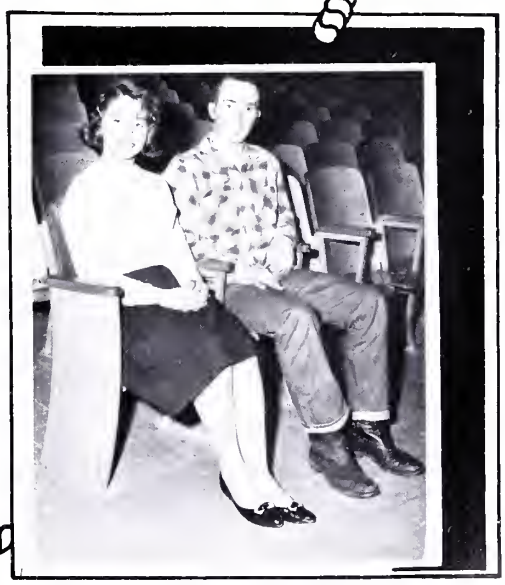
BEST ALL-AROUND &
TYPICAL SENIOR
Jimmy Pratt
Barbara Correll

CUTEST
J.D. Chapman
Frances Hardin

MOST INTELLECTUAL
David Crabtree
Mary Olinger

MOST MISCHIEVOUS
Wayne Peery
Shirley Strouth

FRIENDLIEST
Kyle Oakes
Evelyn Taylor



MOST DESERVING
Ray Umbarger
Jean Stevens

SWEEPSTAKE WINNERS

MOST STUDIOUS
Harold Hall
Judith Hancock

QUIETEST
Roger Crouse
Glenna Frye

BIGGEST TEASE
Bobby Surber
Faye Whitehead

BEST PERSONALITY
Jim Cook
Betty Maloyed

NEATEST
Roger Seymour
Beverly Combs

BEST LOOKING
Calvin Cassell
Merilyn Smith

THE SENIOR ROUND-UP

J.T. BREEDLOVE
F.F.A. Club; Basketball

RONNIE BRICKY
F.F.A. Club

DORIS MABLE CASSELL
Transferred From Ceres High School; F.H.A. Club, treasurer, Vice-President; President of Freshman and Sophomore Class; Junior Class Vice President; Beta Club; S.C.A.

EDDIE CALVIN CASSELL
Beta Club, Treasurer; Library Club, President; F. F.A. Club, Secretary; Science Club; Basketball, Co-Captain; Track, Captain; Football.

DAVID WOODSON CASSELL
F.F.A. Club; Library Club, Treasurer; Beta Club, Reporter; Baseball; Basketball; Treasurer of F.F.A.

JOHN DAVID CHAPMAN
Class Basketball; Basketball; Football; President of Sophomore Class; Library Club; Track; Lasso Staff.

ANGELA FAYE CLEAR
F.H.A. Club, Reporter; Tri-Hi-Y Club; Vice President; Band; Round-Up Staff; Basketball; Cheerleader; Class Basketball; Lasso Staff.

BILLY LEE CLEAR
Science Club, President; Library Club, Vice President, President; Football, Co-Captain, All State Third team in 1962, Highest Scorer in District; Basketball; Track; Baseball.

BEVERLY ANN COMBS
Band, Majorette, Pep Band, Ensemble Award; F.H.A. Club; Basketball; Science Club; Round-up Staff, Co-Editor; Tri-Hi-Y Club, Chaplain, Historian, and Reporter; Beta Club; Lasso Staff.

JIMMY LEE COOK
F.F.A. Club, President, Federation President, State Association Vice-President, Public Speaking, Outstanding Senior F.F.A. Award; President of Eighth Grade Class; Science Club, Secretary and Treasurer; Library Club; Basketball, Tri-Captain; Round-Up Staff; Forensics, Public Speaking; Lasso Staff; President of S.C.A.

LARRY WAYNE COX
Transferred from Ceres High School; President of Sophomore Class; F.F.A. Club; Basketball; Baseball; K.V.G. Club; Delegate to Boy's State; Monogram Club.

BARBARA JEAN CORRELL
Patrol Club; President; F.H.A. Club; Band, Drum Majorette, Pep Band; Basketball, Captain; Round-Up Staff; Tri-Hi-Y Club, President; District Vice-President of Tri-Hi-Y; Lasso Staff, Editor; Reporter of Eighth Grade; Forensics, Public Speaking; Reporter of Grade 10.

DAVID HAYNES CRABTREE
Science Club; Round-Up Staff; F.F.A. Club; Public Speaking; Class Basketball; Beta Club; S.C.A., Chairman; President of Junior and Senior Classes; Lasso Staff.

ERNEST ROGER CROUSE
Class Basketball; Track; Football; Library Club; F.F.A. Club.

DOCK HARLOW DILLMAN
Transferred from Rockville, Maryland; Basketball; Baseball.

CURTIS LEE DINSMORE
Football; Basketball; Baseball; F.F.A. Club; Secretary of Senior Class; Library Club; Round-Up Staff; Lasso Staff.

PATSY CLAUDINE DOANE
F.H.A. Club; Round-Up Staff; Tri-Hi-Y Club, Chaplain; Basketball, Captain; Cheerleader.

DOUGLAS DOANE
Round-Up Staff; Class Basketball; Football; Library Club.

TOBY LANE FRYE
F.H.A. Club; Songleader; Band, Pep Band, Majorette, Ensemble Award; Basketball, Co-Captain; Science Club, Vice-President; Round-Up Staff, Co-Editor; Tri-Hi-Y Club, Chaplain, Reporter; Beta Club, Secretary; Lasso Staff, Senior Class Editor.

GLENNA KATHLEEN FRYE
Band; F.H.A. Club; Library Club; Tri-Hi-Y Club; Round-Up Staff; Lasso Staff.

GOLDIE FRANCES GATES
Class Basketball; Library Club; Patrol Club; Lasso Staff; Round-Up Staff.

JERRY WAYNE GROSECLOSE
Transferred from Ceres High School; S.C.A.; Softball; Patrol Club; F.F.A. Club, President, Vice President, President of Federation; Oratorical Contest; Basketball; Beta Club; K.V.G. Club.

PEGGY SUE HALL
Class Basketball; Tri-Hi-Y Club; Patrol Club.

HAROLD DAVID HALL
Basketball; Scholarship for Tenth Grade.

JUDITH DIANNE HANCOCK
Transferred from Ceres High School; Reporter of Junior Class; F.H.A. Club, Secretary, Vice-President; Secretary of Freshman Class; Beta Club; S.C.A., Excutive Secretary.

FRANCES ELIZABETH HARDEN
Transferred from Ceres High School; S.C.A. Representative, District Vice Chairman; President of Junior Class; F.H.A. Club, Treasurer; Songleader,

THE SENIOR ROUND-UP

Reporter, President; 4-H Club, Treasurer; Reporter of Eighth Grade Class; Cheerleader; Choir; Beta Club; Basketball; Girl's State.

CHARLEY LEON HEATH
Class Basketball; Basketball; Track.

RAYMOND HAROLD HOLMES
Track; Band; Class Basketball; J. V. Basketball; F.F. A. Club.

NANCY DARLENE HOOVER
F.H.A. Club; Band, Pep Band, Ensemble Award; Basketball, Manager, Class Basketball; Science Club; Beta Club, Secretary; Tri-Hi-Y Club, Historian; Round-Up Staff; Beta Club, Treasurer; Lasso Staff.

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F.F.A. Club, Vice-President, Reporter; Basketball; Baseball, Captain; Treasurer of Junior Class; Library Club.

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Transferred from Ceres High School; F.F.A. Club; Basketball; Baseball.

BETTY CAROLYN MALOYED
Homeroom Chairman of Ninth Grade; Vice President of Freshman Class; Basketball; Round-Up Staff; Tri-Hi-Y Club, Secretary; Beta Club, Vice-President; Forensics, Poetry; Cheerleader; F.H.A. Club; Vice-President of Junior Class; One-Act Play; Science Club; Library Club, Reporter; Lasso Staff; Scholarship for Eighth Grade.

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Football; Track; Choral Club.

RITA HOPE MITCHELL
Band; Library Club; F.H.A. Club; Tri-Hi-Y Club.

KYLE LEON OAKES
Patrol Club; Football, Co-Captain; Track; Basketball; Baseball; Library Club; Class Basketball.

MARY LOUISE OLINGER
Class Basketball; F.H.A. Club; Science Club; Library Club; Round-Up Staff; Lasso Staff; Vice President of Senior Class.

BOBBY WAYNE PERRY
F.F.A. Club; Football, Captain; Track; Library Club.

JAMES MARION PRATT III
Science Club, President; Beta Club, President, Outstanding Member; Library Club, Treasurer; Football; Basketball, Co-Captain; Track; Round-Up Staff; Forensics, Prose; President of Freshman Class; One-Act Play; Secretary of Sophomore Class; Lasso Staff, Business Manager of Lasso Staff.

WANDA SUE COE RATCLIFFE
Tri-Hi-Y Club; Basketball; Band; F.H.A. Club; Round-Up Staff; Lasso Staff.

RICHARD ALLEN ROBERTS
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ROGER LE MOUR
F.F.A. Class Basketball; Patrol Club; Basketball; Lasso

GLORIA JEAN SMITH
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MERILYN ANN SMITH
Homecoming Queen; F.H.A. Club; Class Basketball; Cheerleader; Round-Up Staff; Patrol Club; Tri-Hi-Y Club.

LILLIAN JEAN STEVENS

SHIRLEY STROUTH
Basketball; Cheerleader; Library Club; Round-Up Staff.

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F.F.A. Club.

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Class Basketball; F.H.A. Club; Library Club; Round-Up Staff.

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RAY EDWIN UMBARGAR
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WILLIAM KENNETH WATSON
Football; Basketball; Track; Baseball; Lasso Staff.

LORETTA FAYE WHITEHEAD
F.H.A. Club; Basketball; Cheerleader.

BRENDA WORLEY
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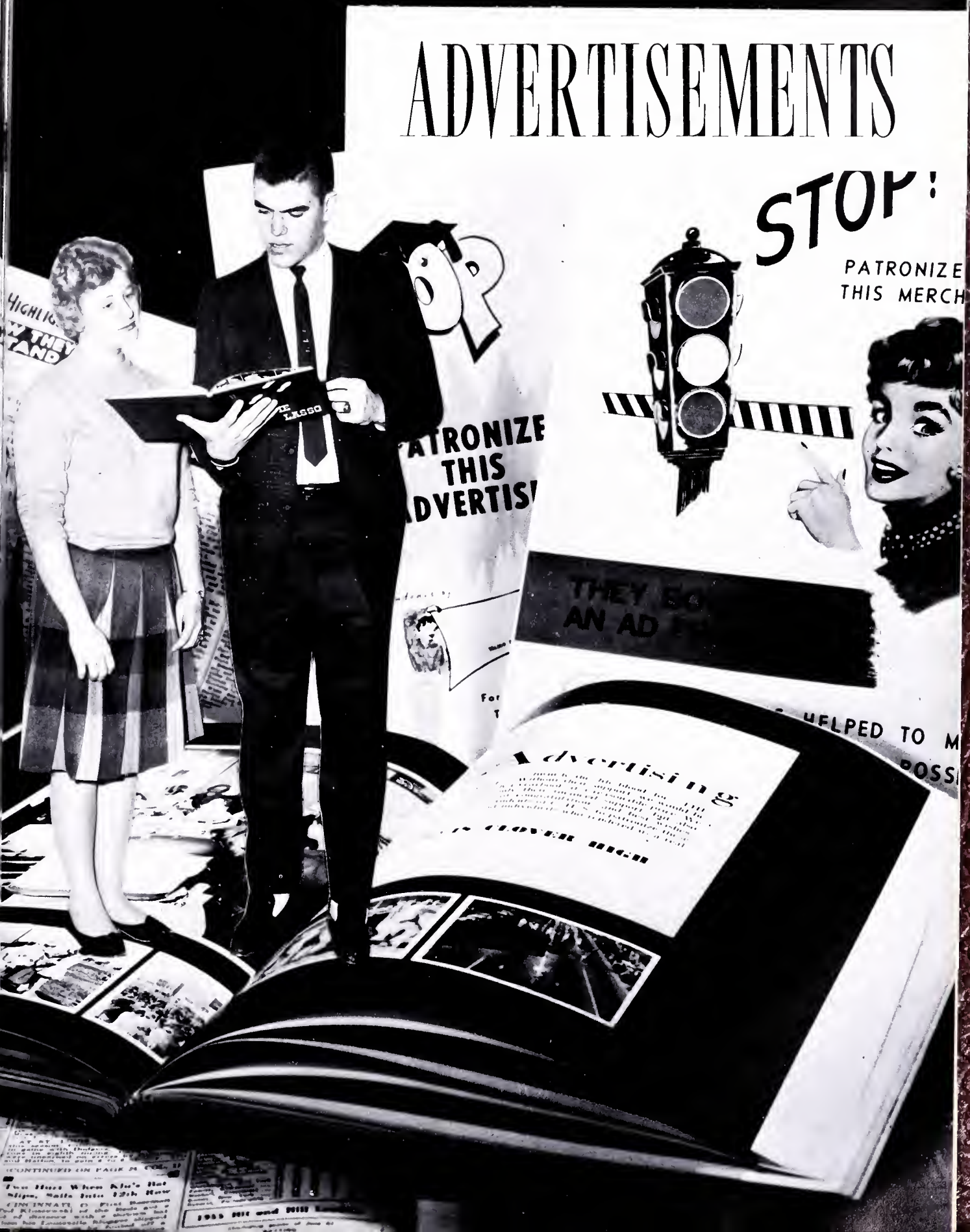

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January 10, 1963

Dear Advertisers:

The Senior Class of 1963 wishes to take this opportunity to thank you for your support. You were very generous in helping us to publish this eighteenth edition of The Lasso.

We have worked earnestly to make our yearbook one for which we shall be proud. We sincerely hope that you will be pleased with your advertisement. We hope that the fine spirit in which you helped us will be reflected in the book as a whole.

We selected the theme - the lasso in the students' life at Rich Valley - as one that is in keeping with our school. One of the finest things about working on the yearbook is the realization that we have so many friends interested in our school.

May we again say the simple words, "We thank you."

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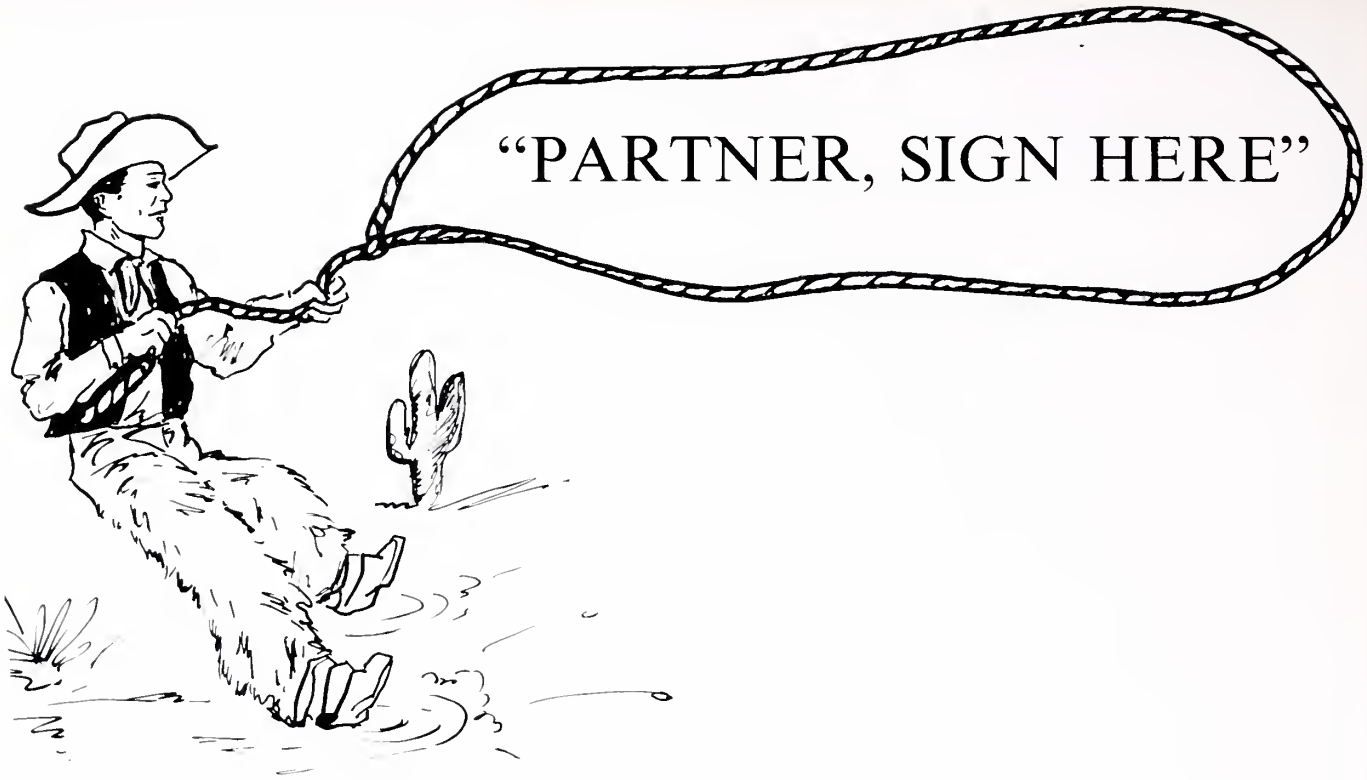
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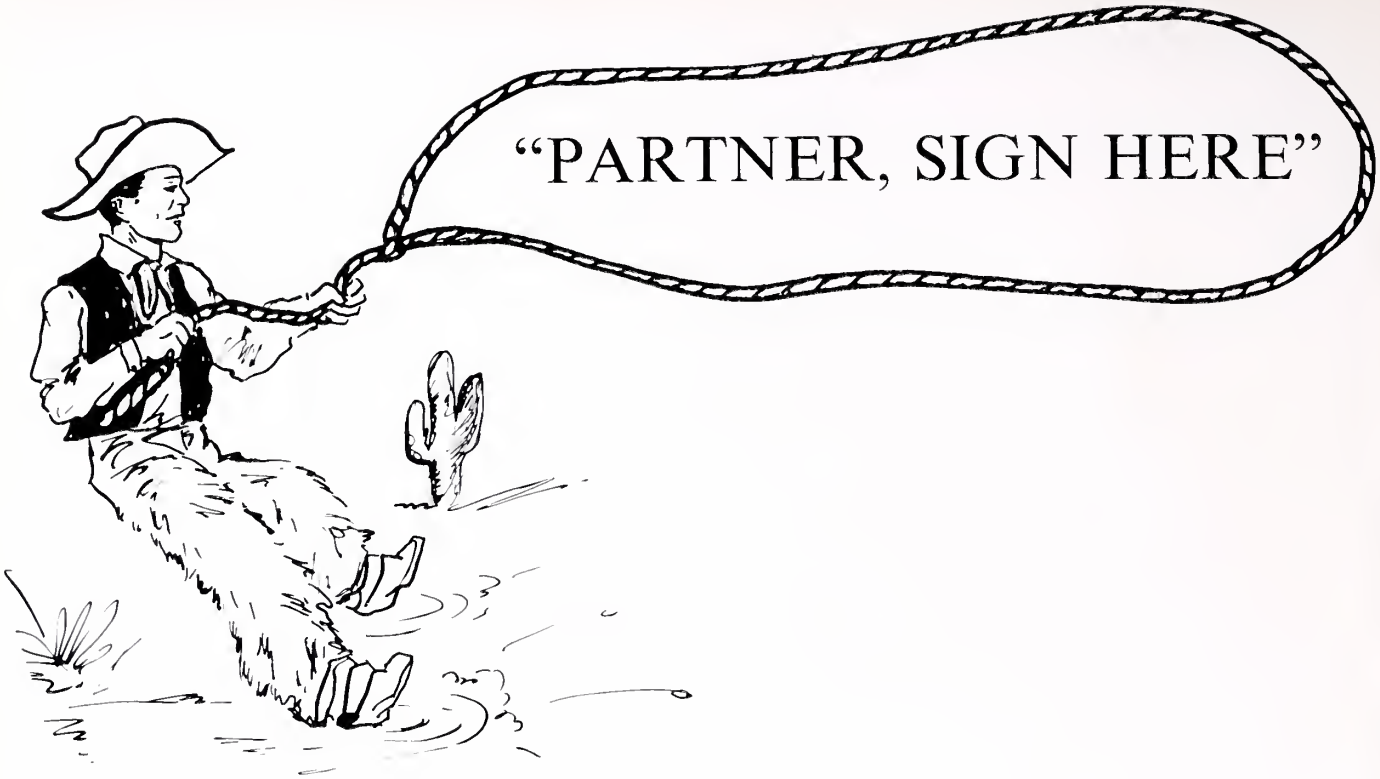
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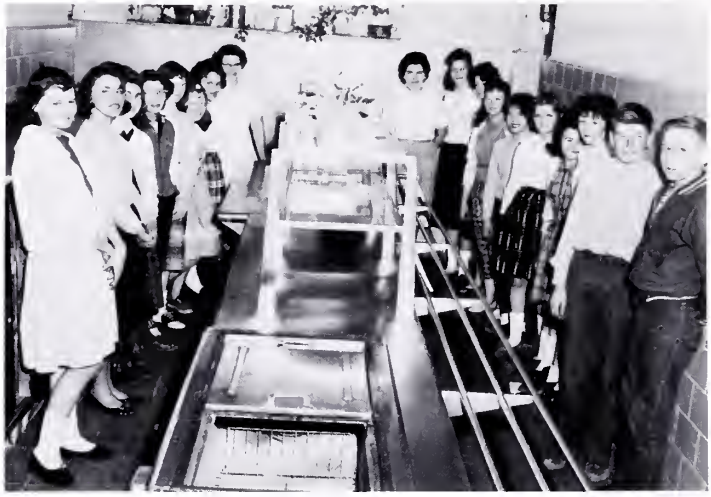

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